

M. B. Moses & Sons

Below Cost for Summer Fabrics.

The lightness and brightness of the store made over for summer are everywhere in evidence on our first floor. The warm weather fabrics—hangings and draperies—are shown profusely. Just now we have gotten together all short lengths and remnants of goods suitable for furniture covering, upholstery and drapery, and have priced them at considerably less than cost.

Was.	Now.	Was.	Now.
4 yds. Silk and Wool Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.00	\$1.95	3 yds. Silk Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.00	\$1.95
20 yds. Silk Damask, 2 colors, \$3.00	1.25	15 yds. Silk Damask, 3 colors, \$1.35	75c
9 yds. Silk Damask, extra extra, \$1.00	65c	24 yds. Silk Tapestry, 3 colors, \$1.50	75c
16 yds. Silk Damask, 1 color, \$2.50	1.50	16 yds. Silk Tapestry, 2 colors, \$1.00	1.00
3 yds. Silk Damask, 2 colors, \$1.00	1.50	15 yds. Wool Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.00	1.50
4 yds. Broadcloth, 1 color, \$2.50	1.50	15 yds. Broadcloth, 2 colors, \$1.00	1.50
25 yds. Silk Damask, 2 colors, \$2.50	1.50	30 yds. Cotton Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.25	75c
5 yds. Pocket Weave Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.00	1.50	25 yds. Cotton Tapestry, 2 colors, \$1.25	75c
4 yds. Silk Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.00	1.50	30 yds. Cotton Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.25	75c
3 yds. Silk Tapestry, 2 colors, \$1.00	1.50	25 yds. Cotton Tapestry, 2 colors, \$1.25	75c
25 yds. Tinsel Tapestry, 1 color, \$3.00	1.50	30 yds. Cotton Tapestry, 1 color, \$1.25	75c
5 yds. Tinsel Tapestry, 1 color, \$3.00	1.50		

The overstock of Five-piece Parlor Suites prompts sweeping price reductions in this department. Forty-two suites have been reduced from \$5.00 to \$35.00 each. All the very newest styles—mahogany finish—some inlaid—upholstered in velour, damasks and silk tapestries.

Lace curtains properly cleaned and renewed.

Note the newest Wall Paper Window Display.

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Furniture Factory, 425 and Ohio Ave.
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Gas Ranges.
Hot Plates.
Water Heaters.
Ovens.

Gas Cookers.
Family Gas Stoves.
Best Table Stoves.
Florence Oil Stoves.

Blue Flame Oil Stoves.

Muddiman & Co.

616 12th. 1204 G.
See our Chicago Jewel Gas Range.

HAVE AMPLE POWER.

Opinion of Attorney Duval Respects

The superintendent of the District bathing beach, Mr. W. X. Stevens, recently reported to the Commissioners that certain individuals have located a house-boat or ark upon that portion of the beach set apart under the provisions of the act of Congress of September 22, 1890, as a bathing place. The matter was referred to the attorney for the District for an opinion as to the authority of the Commissioners to require the removal of private property from the bathing beach. In an opinion submitted to the Commissioners, their legal adviser states that in his judgment they have ample power, under the provisions of the law above referred to, to make such regulations in reference to the occupation of the beach as in their judgment may be necessary for the public welfare.

The attorney explains, however, that he does not consider that the Commissioners have authority to require the individuals now occupying the property to vacate and permit others to occupy the same place for the same purposes. General regulations, he says, should be made applicable to all individuals alike, and he thinks it would be a proper exercise of the power conferred to require the entire area set apart for bathing purposes to be kept free from the location of private property of any description.

PROGRESS OF SUNDAY CIVIL BILL.

The House Completed 73 of the 132 Pages.

The House made fair progress yesterday, completing 73 of the 132 pages of the bill. Much of the time was consumed in an effort of the members of the naval committee to cripple the coast and geodetic survey in retaliation for the refusal of the House to agree to their recommendation when the naval bill was before the House to place the survey of the waters of our insular possessions in the hands of the navy. They tried to strike out the item in the bill authorizing the coast and geodetic survey in the jurisdiction of the United States, but were defeated. They made a point of order hold against a new vessel for the survey of the coast, and the House voted to sustain the point. The item for the survey of the coast was then stricken out. Mr. Kitchin of North Carolina moved to strike out the appropriation of \$75,000 to be paid informers against violations of the Internal Revenue laws. This item for years has been fought by representatives from North Carolina and Georgia. This year the struggle was fiercer than usual, but met the usual fate.

Won by St. John's College.

The base ball team of St. John's College defeated the Young Tigers this morning on the Monument Grounds by a score of 22 to 18. Kirby and Barrett were in the points for the victorious team, and it was due to the former's work in the box that St. John's won. This is the first time this season that the Young Tigers have been defeated. The St. John's team would like to receive challenges from teams averaging fourteen years of age, through Donald E. Gensler, 1318 13th street.

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AMERICAN SOCIAL SCIENCE

MEETING OF ASSOCIATION IN THIS CITY MONDAY.

Organization Has Been in Existence Since 1895—Its Aims and Methods.

The general meeting of the American Social Science Association for 1900 will be held in this city, beginning Monday evening, in the hall of Columbian University, when the annual address will be delivered by the president of the organization, Mr. Charles Dudley Warner, LL.D., of Hartford, Conn. The subject of the address will be "The Education of the Negro." The sessions will continue daily up to and including Friday, when the closing exercises of the association will be at the Hotel Gordon. The association was founded in 1895, and has recently been incorporated by act of Congress. It is national in character and its membership is confined to no particular state. Its field is the investigation and discussion of subjects pertaining to the progress of human society, and for thirty years it has met almost uninterruptedly. In this period the association has published nearly two hundred essays by the foremost experts on social and scientific questions. There are five departments of the association, which are classified under the several heads of education, health, finance, social economy and jurisprudence. Each department holds a special session during the week, and has its own chairman and secretary.

Aim of the Association.

The aim of the association is never to commit itself to any particular policy or declaration of belief in regard to the topics which may come under its examination. The object is to discuss, not to decide; to publish whatever information and views may be brought before the association in the course of its proceedings, and to leave the readers of its publications to form their own conclusions. The association is one of the oldest of its type in this country, and has numbered among its members some very distinguished men. Its present president is Mr. William T. Harris, now commissioner of education; Mr. James B. Angell, former minister to Turkey; Prof. D. C. Gilman of Johns Hopkins University; and Judge S. D. Baldwin of the supreme court of Connecticut. The present executive, Mr. Charles Dudley Warner, is one of the foremost labor and Mr. Oscar Strauss are on the board of directors.

All persons interested in social questions are invited by the association to attend its meeting, Tuesday will be given over to the department of health, Wednesday to the departments of education and art, Thursday to the departments of social economy and finance, and Friday to the department of jurisprudence. The sessions will be held in the morning, and the evening sessions will be held in the afternoon. The morning sessions will begin at 9:30 o'clock and close at noon, the evening sessions being called to order at 8:30 o'clock.

VIOLATED LAW.

Dealer Fined \$50 for Selling Cigarettes to a Minor.

Tavia Goldstein was today convicted in the Police Court before Judge Scott of violating the cigarette law by selling cigarettes to Clarence Washington, a boy under sixteen years of age. Goldstein was fined \$50. The case was prosecuted by Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Given, by which at the instance of the American League, twenty-one other warrants have been issued for as many dealers for violating the same law. It is understood that a number of the storekeepers referred to will be arraigned in the Police Court early next week. It is the intention of the authorities to prosecute all violators of this law to the full extent.

In the Committee.

Senator Moore from the committee on public buildings yesterday made a favorable report on the bill providing for a government building at New Orleans, La. As reported the bill appropriates \$1,250,000. The ways and means committee yesterday acted favorably on bills establishing Durham, N. C., as a customs port of delivery, etc.; also giving free entry to exhibits for the San Antonio and Dallas, Texas, exposition.

President Parsons of the Letter Carriers' Association was heard by the House committee on post offices and post roads yesterday on the bill proposing an increase of the pay of letter carriers. In view of the action of the Senate committee in favor of the bill, the House committee is expected to report favorably on the bill.

Woman's Press Association.

The Woman's National Press Association held its regular open meeting last night at the Hotel, and a program of talks followed. The principal paper of the evening, Mrs. Anna S. Hamilton presented a paper on "Women in Modern Journalism," and it was discussed at length by Mrs. Landfield of the Philomath Club of San Francisco; Mrs. Willard, who was associated with Lady Somerset's paper in London; Miss Fowler of Chicago, Mrs. M. S. Stark, Mrs. P. M. Stocking, Mrs. Clara Colby, Mrs. E. A. C. and others. Miss Mary Taylor of Ohio recited two poems during the evening, entertaining the guests in a most charming manner. Miss Taylor has recently pleased the Y. M. C. A. with her recitations.

Sportsmen Want Protection.

To the Editor of The Evening Star: I noticed an article in The Star of May 3 in reference to the extinction of game fish in the Potomac, and being something of a fisherman myself could not but admit the spirit in which the communication was written. What would my fellow fisherman think if a law was enacted to read as follows: "It shall be unlawful to take from the Potomac river or any of its tributaries at any time during the year any game fish upon taken with a rod and line." It is a scientific fact that a bass can protect himself if let alone; furthermore, bass do not as a rule bite during the spawning season, and even if they did and even simply helps the dip net, and are simply breaker, because he has a clear field to work in, and genuine sportsmen will not fish during this season. All the fish that could ever be taken out of any river with a rod and line would never diminish the supply, no matter how many fishermen there were. The root of the evil is the trot line, dip net and polluted water.

Nominations Confirmed.

The Senate yesterday afternoon confirmed the following nominations: S. B. Everett of Massachusetts, secretary of the legation at Guatemala City. Postmasters: New York—M. Alvord, Livonia; E. A. Cowles, Patchogue; J. H. McGrath, New Lebanon; J. F. Merritt, Portchester; A. V. T. Smith, Bronxville; F. Worden, Cocksack. Ohio—P. Howell, Shreve; T. G. Moore, Barnesville; F. S. Chalmers, Elmwood. Indiana—H. Wood, Logansport. Iowa—R. M. Potter, Rockford; L. N. Turner, California—C. B. Andrews, Presidio. Colorado—D. James Loveland. South Dakota—J. Kubler, Custer. Florida—Harry C. Budge, Miami.

FINANCIAL

As the Monkey Said

When he painted his tail blue:

It's Very Neat

But not at all gaudy. There are

No Frills On It

But it's the same every day, and nothing affects it.

So Is Our Service

It is the "real thing," so why not "get up

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON, AT WASHINGTON, D. C., at the close of business April 26, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$1,506,432.83
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	162.14
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	300,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	300,000.00
U. S. bonds on hand	6,820.00
Stocks, securities, etc.	398,750.55
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	65,660.00
Other real estate owned	9,241.00
Due from national banks (not reserve)	358,419.54
Due from State banks and bankers	43,465.88
Due from approved reserve agents	117,547.36
Due from U. S. Treasury	1,560.00
Checks and other cash items	6,930.28
Exchanges for clearing houses	29,181.40
Loans paid and uncollected	289.40
Legal tender notes	\$101,315.00
Legal tender notes	224,750.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasury (5 per cent of circulation)	15,000.00
Total	\$4,047,710.50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$300,000.00
Surplus fund	400,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	137,703.82
National bank notes and U. S. currency	297,999.00
Due to other national banks	137,192.98
Due to State banks and bankers	25,874.42
Due from State banks and bankers	255,304.08
Individuals unpaid	2,061.00
Due to U. S. Treasury	2,180,782.00
Checks to cash	23,704.74
Deposits	3,284.65
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